

REMARKS

Claims 1-26 are restricted into Group I invention, claims 1-13; and Group II invention, claims 14-26.

Applicant elects Group I invention, claims 1-13 for prosecution without traverse.

Applicant elects poly(vinylidene fluoride-co-hexafluoropropene) (Solef™) as the species of the genus fluorinated polymer and the polymer of claim 11 where R is H as the species of the genus biologically beneficial polymer for examination. Claims 1-4, and 7-13 all read upon Solef™, and claims 1-13 all read upon the polymer of claim 11 where R is H.

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CONCLUSION

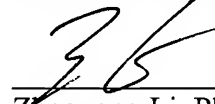
If the Examiner has any questions or concerns, the Examiner is invited to telephone the undersigned attorney at (415) 393-9885.

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